

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

LOU GEILER and LARRY MOORE,)
Individually and on behalf of)
all participants and)
dependents in the Northern)
Natural Gas Company Medical)
and Dental Plan for Retirees)
and Surviving Spouses,)
MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY)
PENSION AND EMPLOYEE BENEFITS)
PLANS ADMINISTNRATIVE)
COMMITTEE and WELLS FARGO)
BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,)
as Trustee of the MidAmerican)
Energy Company Master VEBA)
Trust,)

Plaintiffs,)

v.)

ROBERT W. JONES, SARAH A.)
DAVIS, RICHARD LYDECKER,)
GARY SMITH, KRISTE K.)
SULLIVAN, ARLENE BARNETT,)
LYZETTE PALMER, J.P. MORGAN,)
CHASE BANK OF TEXAS, TEXAS)
COMMERCE BANK, NORTHERN)
PLAINS NATURAL GAS COMPANY,)
TRANSWESTERN PIPELINE COMPANY,)
FLORIDA GAS TRANSMISSION)
COMPANY, ENRON LIQUIDS)
PIPELINE COMPANY and JOHN)
and JANE DOES (real names)
unknown),)

Defendants.)

8:05CV268

ORDER

This matter is before the Court on the motion to
withdraw from representation of defendant Northern Plains Natural
Gas Company (Filing No. 25) by Roger L. Shiffermiller and the law
firm, Fraser, Stryker, Meusey, Olson, Boyer & Bloch, P.C.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED:

1) The motion to withdraw of Roger L. Shiffermiller and the law firm, Fraser, Stryker, Meusey, Olson, Boyer & Bloch, P.C. from representation of defendant Northern Plains Natural Gas Company is granted.

2) Said defendant shall have until September 19, 2005, to have new counsel enter an appearance or advise the Court how defendant intends to proceed.

DATED this 30th day of August, 2005.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Lyle E. Strom

LYLE E. STROM, Senior Judge
United States District Court